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In re patent application of:	)	J&J Reference: <b>DEP5213USNP</b>
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<b>Ondrla et al.</b>	)	MMB Docket No. <b>1671-0285</b>
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Application No. <b>10/748,448</b>	)	Examiner: <b>Javier G. Blanco</b>
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Filed: <b>December 30, 2003</b>	)	Group Art Unit: <b>3738</b>
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Title: <b>Joint Prosthesis with Infinitely</b>	)	
<b>Positionable Head</b>	)	

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**PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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Sir:

In connection with the Office Action dated June 9, 2006 in the above-entitled application, Applicants respectfully request a one (1) month extension in which to file a response, from September 9, 2006 to October 9, 2006. Since the due date for filing a response fell on Monday, October 9, 2006, which was a Federal Holiday, a response is being timely filed on Tuesday, October 10, 2006.

The fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) is submitted herewith. Also, please provide any further extensions of time which may be necessary and charge any fees which may be due to Deposit Account No. 13-0014, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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